ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN LANGUAGE PUBLICATIONS

Minutes of Meeting held in DCI's Conference Room

9 March 1955 at 2:00 p.m.

Present

Members:

Mr. Sidney Buford, State Dept.
Major Russell Jones, G-2
Captain Frank Acker, ONI
Major Walter J. Brown, USAF
Lt. Cmdr. Robert C. Gardemal, JCS

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Dr. Edward J. Carroll, USIA

CIA, Chairman

Observers:

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Approval of Minutes

1. Action: The Minutes of the meeting of 5 March 1954 were approved. (FLP-M-5)

Second Annual Report of the Committee

- 2. Discussed some changes in draft previously distributed and ordered Chairman to circulate revised draft for telephone concurrence of members.
- 3. Action: With reference to paragraph 2e. of the Annual Report the Chairman was directed to write to the State Department in the name of the Committee endorsing the reconstitution of the London Publication Procurement Officer post.

4. The State representative suggested that the translation services and translation of selected materials be included in the responsibilities of the Exploitation Subcommittee. The Chairman of the Exploitation Subcommittee pointed out that the problem was under discussion in his committee.

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5. Action: Exploitation Subcommittee was directed to prepare a paper examining the centralization of translation service problem and to make necessary recommendations to the Advisory Committee.

Notation of Annual Reports of the Subcommittees

6. Action: Noted annual reports of Subcommittees on Exploitation, Procurement, and Reference.

Procurement of Far Eastern Publications, Report on

7. Action: CIA will negotiate with Department of State to work out necessary action on recommendations in report.

7. The Committee noted the report on Provincent of Far Eastern Problecations. any action taken as a result of the report will be reported to the Committee.

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